
John M. McCoy



Executive Assistant Director Pacific Operations Naval Criminal Investigative Service



Special Agent John M. McCoy is currently the Executive Assistant Director for Pacific Operations. In this capacity, he is responsible for the management and operational direction of seven Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS) field offices, one Security Training Assistance and Assessment Team, and numerous subordinate elements located throughout the NW and SW U.S., Hawaii, the Far East, Southwest Asia, and aboard carrier strike groups, as well as expeditionary strike groups. Oversight responsibilities extend to all investigative, counterintelligence, and counterterrorism activities within the area of responsibility. He directs, manages and/or substantially influences an annual operating budget in excess of \$114 million.

Special Agent McCoy was appointed to the Senior Executive Service in January 2011 and has 28 years of Federal Service.

In 2009, Special Agent McCoy assumed the posting of Special Agent in Charge of the Northeast Field Office in Newport, Rhode Island, covering NCIS investigative and operational activities in the northeastern United States, Bermuda and the eastern Canadian Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

In 2006, Special Agent McCoy was promoted and reassigned as the Senior NCIS Representative to the newly established strategic planning position (N5X) within the Planning and Policy Directorate for Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

In 2005, Special Agent McCoy was assigned as the Assistant Special Agent in Charge for the newly established NCIS Field Office in Singapore. At this time he also assumed the dual position of Resident Agent in Charge of a co-located joint Department of Defense Force Protection Detachment. His responsibilities encompassed NCIS support for the force protection of transient military forces throughout Southeast Asia.

Prior to this assignment, in 2003 Special Agent McCoy was promoted and subsequently reassigned to the NCIS Headquarters (NCISHQ) Directorate for Planning and Oversight/Evaluation, where he was detailed as a liaison officer to the staff of the Navy Warfare Development Command (NWDC) in Newport, Rhode Island. While filling NCIS liaison officer responsibilities at NWDC, Special Agent McCoy served as the Director, Combating Terrorism and Force Protection Warfare Innovations Development Team.

In 2001, Special Agent McCoy assumed the position of Supervisory Special Agent at the NCIS Resident Agency (NCISRA) London, England. In addition to his supervisory responsibilities over NCIS operational activity in Northern Europe and Southern Africa, Special Agent McCoy provided Staff Counterintelligence Officer (SCIO) support to Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Europe in London.

Special Agent McCoy joined the NCIS in 1987, serving in the Norfolk, Virginia Resident Agency. He was subsequently assigned to various follow-on assignments at NCISRA Holy Loch, Scotland (1989-91); NCISRA New London, Connecticut (1991-99); and the NCISHQ Counterintelligence Directorate, Washington, D.C. (1999-2001).

Special Agent McCoy graduated from Westminster College in New Wilmington, Pennsylvania in 1982 with a bachelor's of arts degree in political science. He attended the Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island, where he received a master's of arts degree in national security and strategic studies (2005).

During his tenure with NCIS, Special Agent McCoy has received numerous awards and letters of appreciation and commendation, including letters from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Central Intelligence Agency, and other law enforcement and intelligence agencies.

Mr. McCoy was awarded Special Agent Credentials in 1987 and holds TS/SCI (with polygraph) security clearances. His professional affiliations include the International Association of Chiefs of Police.